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ARTICLES PROTECTED FROM ATTACHMENT OF BIOFOULING ORGANISMS**

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Prior to examination of the above-identified application,
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Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

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